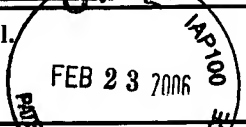


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)	Docket No. ML-0493C
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In Re Application Of: **Milind Rajadhyaksha et al.**



Application No. 10/787,473	Filing Date 02/26/2004	Examiner Roy M. Punnoose	Customer No. 024,902	Group Art Unit 2877	Confirmation No. 6991
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Invention: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENHANCING CONFOCAL REFLECTANCE IMAGES OF TISSUE SPECIMENS**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 11/21/2005 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

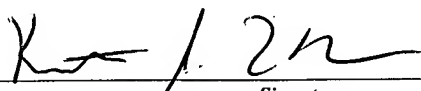
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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is **\$60** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-1101**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1101**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

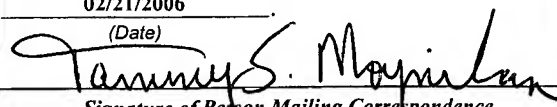
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